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PATENT

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Applicant: Vincente Díaz et al : Paper No.:

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For: **Use of Beta Recombinase in Eukaryotic Cells, Especially for Transgenic Work**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX Patent Application

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and first action by the Examiner in the present application, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-26.

Please add the following claims 27-52:

--27. (NEW) A method for transgenic work in eukaryotic cells, comprising introducing prokaryotic beta recombinase and its specific target sequences in the eukaryotic cells.--

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